

# THE INDEPENDENT

Fifty-First Year

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## J. J. SMITH HEADS GRAPE GROWERS

Annual Meeting Held—Pass Resolution of Censure.

The annual meeting of the Grape Growers Association was held in St. Catharines on Wednesday evening last, when the president, J. J. Smith, reported on the activities of organization; the reports being of a satisfactory and encouraging character.

The officers were unanimously re-elected as follows: President, J. J. Smith, Winona; Vice President, R. Morley, Beamsville; Secretary-Treasurer, J. J. Charles, St. Catharines.

The meeting unanimously passed the following resolution after a lengthy discussion:

Moved by Miss Corman of Saltfleet and seconded by John Bridgeman, Winona: "We, the executive of the Grape Growers' association in annual session, do strongly condemn the unwarranted interference of certain wineries into the affairs of the grape growers by sponsoring a disgruntled group of growers in their attempt to form an association to be known as the Niagara Wine Grape Growers' association. This is but another attempt to destroy the Grape Growers' association founded in 1919 and from that time recognized as the official mouthpiece of the grape growers of the Niagara peninsula. These certain wineries have circulated a letter among the grape growers of the Niagara peninsula and they enclose in the letter a card printed in the form of a post card which contains their argument and which they ask the grower to sign and return to the particular winery. Almost invariably the growers have reported to officers of the association that they felt failure to sign this card would mean that they would be cut off the list of those doing business with this winery in particular; therefore, he it resolved that this executive considers this apparent intimidation of grape growers is most un-British, and, in our opinion, constitutes an infringement of our liberty of action and that the Hon. Premier Mitchell P. Hepburn be requested to take steps immediately to investigate the whole matter."

## Substantial Amount Realized For San From Seal Sale

Financial statement of Seal Sale of Grimsby unit of the Niagara Peninsula Sanatorium for 1935 shows generous contribution were made. On November 18th, the unit sent out 370 letters containing \$1.00 worth of seals each. There were received 185 letters containing money, 122 letters seals returned, 69 letters not heard from.

Receipts	
Amount received from Seal Sale	\$102.47
Donations	10.00
	\$112.47
Expenses	
Stamps	\$11.35
P.O. Box	.50
Printing Letterheads and stuffers	1.10
Express	.30
10% to Ottawa	9.00
	\$22.25
Leaving balance	\$170.13

## ST. JOHN'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Rev. I. B. Kaine announces a new series of Sunday evening sermons, "Night Events in The Life of Christ and His Apostles".  
April 5—The Night of Agony.  
April 13—The First Night After the Resurrection.  
April 19—A Night of Fishing Without Success.  
April 26—An All Night's Prayer-Meeting.  
May 3—An Earthquake at Midnight.  
The sermon subject for this Sunday will be "Palms or Victory". Everybody welcome.

## CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. Elsie Teeter and family wish to express their appreciation to A. F. Hawke, C. T. Farwell, J. H. Culp, Arthur Henson, Ed. Mansell, J. H. Gibson and others for services rendered at the funeral of the late Clarence A. Teeter.

## Movement To Erect Soldiers' Memorial In Town of Grimsby

A local veteran is sponsoring a proposal to erect a Soldiers' Memorial on the Alexander School grounds, Grimsby. It is proposed to utilize Grimsby stone from the mountain side in the building of the memorial. Although many towns have erected soldiers' memorials, this municipality is without one, with the exception of the memorial gates erected at Queen's Lawn Cemetery shortly after the war concluded by the women of Grimsby and North Grimsby.

It is felt that the Alexander School grounds being situated on the Main Highway, would be an admirable site for such a monument and a movement is now under way with a view to securing its erection.

## Dunrobin Again Expands Complete Installation For Manufacture of Gin

One of the most complete installations for the manufacture of gin is nearing completion at the distilling plant of Dunrobin Limited at Grimsby.

The installation includes a Columbian Still of the latest type, a Copper Flavour Still, Condensers and several receiving and filtering tanks and vats.

The installation was devised and is being installed under the supervision of E. C. Welsh, the Vice-President and Distiller Engineer of the Company, and is an arrangement to produce large capacity in shorter time than has heretofore been possible with installations of a similar kind. Gin of several types will be manufactured in this apparatus in some of which Fruit Spirits will form a part.

It is expected that the work will be completed in a few days' time when the manufacture of these types will immediately be started.

## Reformatory Terms For Youths And Girls

Youthful crime in the Niagara District received a setback in Tuesday's city police court, St. Catharines, when Magistrate Campbell imposed reformatory sentences on three girls and three youths, following a recent spectacular career until halted by Provincial, St. Catharines and Niagara Falls police. The trio of girls, one from St. Catharines and two local girls, were each sentenced to three months at Guelph on charges to which they pleaded guilty, while the youths received reformatory terms. All sentences are to run concurrently and no time given for present confinement in county jail on their impositions.

The six elected for summary trial and pleaded guilty to entering and breaking the butcher shop of Merle Peacock, Jordan Station and theft of groceries, etc., valued at \$20, on February 23, while the youths also pleaded guilty to the theft of Fred W. Jacobson's Essex coach from Grantham Township on the morning of February 24; also to breaking and entering the home of W. J. Dodge, 133 Thorold Road on February 16 and theft of groceries and cash totalling \$80.  
Mr. Lancaster stressed the recklessness of the six as the feature of their crime career, which police stated involved some 13 stolen cars and which epidemic had now ceased. He decried the levity of the girls in their position, stating that all three youths had records.

## Grimsby Young Men's Chorus Will Broadcast Over C.K.T.B Thursday

The Grimsby Young Men's Chorus under the direction of Mr. G. L. Eaton will broadcast over C.K.T.B., St. Catharines on Thursday, April 9th from 10.00 to 10.30 o'clock p.m. The Chorus will sing several groups of numbers while Mr. Jack Ansell will contribute several vocal selections. Mr. Kenneth Baxter will act as accompanist.

This promising young group of singers, comprising a score of the young men of the town, was organized about a year and a half ago and has developed into a splendid body of singers. It is being highly commended on the high excellence of its work.



PREMIER HEPBURN

Who This Week Reconsidered Decision To Retire—Will Remain At The Helm of Govt. Despite Ill Health

## Lowlands Flooded When Creek Overflows

Several orchards in the lowland between Palen and Elizabeth Streets and between Palen and Ontario Sts. to the lake, were under water when the Forty Creek overflowed its banks at several places last week. At the bridge crossing the highway and the railway bridge, the creek overflowed and inundated adjacent low-lying ground. The stream just west of the cemetery flooded a pear orchard owned by Mr. Addison, while on Robinson Street where the drainage ditch from the mountain has been tiled, the water broke through the surface and covered a lawn in front of the Mome's residence. The waters receded, however, in due time with little or no damage resulting.

At the service held in St. John's Church last Sunday evening a beautiful bouquet of dark red roses was given to Mrs. Stevens. The flowers were given to the eldest person present.

## BORN

TENNANT — At the Meyer Nursing home, Grimsby on Thursday, March 26, 1936, to Mr. and Mrs. John Tennant (nee Phyllis Groff), a son (William Whitney).

## GRIMSBY PURCHASES SCHOOL FOR MUNICIPAL PURPOSES

Council Passes Necessary Bylaw — Purchase Price of Alexander School \$3,500—Discuss Licensing of Slot Machines—To Ask Hydro For Lowering of Net Cost of Streets Lights — Explanation Given in Recent Court Case And Council Passes Resolution.

The Grimsby town council met in special session on Monday evening when a considerable budget of business was dealt with including the passing of a bylaw providing for the taking over of the Alexander School property for municipal purposes, the consideration of the licensing of slot machines and endorsement of a resolution, expressing the view that the municipality has already acquired the Alexander School for civic purposes.

All members were present, Mayor Lewis in the chair.

**Pass Alexander School Bylaw**  
Final action in connection with the purchase of the Alexander School property was taken by the council when it passed a bylaw authorizing the purchase of that property for civic purposes. The Board of Education at a recent meeting also passed a bylaw providing for its disposal to the town for the sum of \$3,500, this being the purchase price. A month's notice will be given the owner from whom the present premises are being leased so as to permit removal to the new premises May 1st. In the meantime the committee of the council of which Councillor Dick is chairman will have certain changes made at the Alexander School preparatory to providing accommodation in that building for the clerk's office and meeting places for council and other civic bodies.

The clerk was instructed to notify the local chapter, I. O. O. F., that the possession of the Alexander School property would be required by April 11th.

**Would License Slot Machines**  
The licensing of slot machines was considered at some length, the following motion being proposed: "That the council approve the licensing of all slot machines in the municipality at a fee of \$5 per annum and the clerk be authorized to investigate the legality of such proceeding and to have the necessary bylaw prepared."

The matter of the fee was left in abeyance until bylaw is presented to council.

**Accept Offer**  
The council accepted the offer of J. F. Durham of \$3.00 per acre rental for fifteen acres of land belonging to the town, to be kept the land cultivated and free of weeds.

The town's position in connection with the equalization of county assessment will be required into by a committee composed of Councillors Williams, Lathian and Reeve Mays.

**Suggest Renovation**  
Following the transaction of the other items of business before the council, Mayor Lewis called attention to the publicity given the court case in Toronto in which the reeve appeared recently which he felt placed the municipality in an unfavorable light.

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## Annual Clinic For School and Pre-School Age Children Held

The Annual Clinic for school and pre-school age children was held in the Public School on Tuesday with a good number attending. All were examined and given inocul for diphtheria. The second administration will be given on April 21st. Vaccine for smallpox will not be given until the last clinic.

The Mothers' Club wish to extend their thanks to Miss Carson, the School Nurse, Dr. MacMillan, Dr. McIntyre and Dr. Sinclair for their services and time spent for the children.

## LANDSLIDES AT JORDAN

Two More Occur — Dept. Crews Keep Highway Clear.

Two more landslides have occurred at Jordan during the past week. The department of highways crew had no sooner cleared the first one away at about 4.30, when more of the hill slid across Paul High's drive to the highway, but did not completely block the road. About 6 p.m. another large section broke loose and slid right across the highway.

The first slide contained several mountain ash trees, but the latest one had well over a dozen hemlock trees, which again gave the appearance of trees being planted on the highway.

Department crews were able to cut the slides away before they caused any serious hindrance to through traffic.

Mr. Melvin Walker said that the reason for the slide was believed to be that the edge of the hill still retained considerable frost, but farther back from the edge the ground had thawed out sufficiently for the undue amount of water to soak through, undermining the trees, and the large lumps of frozen ground broke loose to slide down the hill and onto the highway.

## St. Andrew's Men's Club To Sponsor Amateur Night

The amateur night that is being sponsored by St. Andrew's Men's Service Club is rounding into shape and should prove very interesting. There is a lot of hidden talent that is never heard but it is not the intention of placing any of the applicants, the intention being only to help those along that are really backward or too modest to push themselves into places where they might be heard.

St. Andrew's Club wants to be of service to the community and promote evenings of a constructive nature. So far the club has been very successful along these lines since its formation six years ago.

Since amateur nights have been introduced in larger centres and become not only popular but educational the club members felt this the opportune time to introduce some of their talent. The executive of the club will be pleased to accept applications from those wishing to appear on the program regardless of creed or color.

Applications may be left at Hillier and Son, Roy St. John's, Busy Bee Restaurant or with Norman Lawson at the Canadian Bank of Commerce.

## Baptist Y. P. Union Hosts To Presbyterian Westminster Club

A splendid time of fellowship was enjoyed in the Baptist Church school room on Monday evening when the Baptist Young People's Union were hosts to the Presbyterian Westminster Club. The Westminster Club provided the program including solos, readings, instrumental numbers, and a very helpful paper on the subject "Others", by Miss Janet Flett. The social part of the evening was spent in games under the leadership of Miss Helen Clattemburg. After lunch around the tables, Mr. Jack Morris, president of the B.Y.P.U., led in a short worship period, in which Mr. Kaine quoted Psalm 1, Mr. Merritt led in prayer, and all rose and sang heartily from colored slides upon the screen the hymn "Abide With Me".

## FATHER AND SON BANQUET IS HELD

Successful Event Under Auspices of Trail Rangers And Tuxis Groups of United Church — Bill Wismer, Former Boys' Premier, Guest Speaker.

A most successful Father and Son banquet was held in Trinity Hall on Wednesday evening under the auspices of the Tuxis and Trail Ranger groups of Trinity United Church, about seventy-five being in attendance, including visiting speakers from Vineland and Port Colborne. Mr. H. Betzner acted as chairman.

Following the excellent supper provided, community singing was led by Mr. James Baker, after which a short toast list was honored as follows: "The King," "The Church," proposed by Mr. Cook and responded to by Rev. Mr. Karchman, Toast to "The Fathers" proposed by Mr. Albert Jarvis and responded to by Mr. C. D. Millard, and the Toast to "The Sons" proposed by Mr. Clive S. Neen, and responded to by Master Glenn Pettit.

The speaker of the evening was William Wismer, former premier of the Older Boys' Parliament, who effectively and comprehensively set forth the aims and objects of the Trail Rangers and Tuxis Movement in the training of the boys in the four-fold life covering the spiritual, the intellectual, the social and the physical. He stated that 12,000 boys throughout the province were associated with these organizations, five Boys' Parliaments being in operation throughout the Dominion.

He emphasized the aim of the organization as being to strengthen the spiritual and moral life of the boy, to build up a strong healthy body, to cultivate the habits of clear thinking, clean sports, clean speech and clean habits and generally to assist in the making of a life with a view to laying a solid foundation in the youth of the land that they might become the highest type of citizens.

It was pointed out that there are 90 summer camps where instruction to prospective leaders is given, the object being to inculcate the ideal of service to others.

Other speakers were Dr. Upshall of Vineland Station, a member of the Provincial Boys' Work Board and Mr. Roy Brown of Port Colborne who referred to the activities carried on in connection with the Boys' Summer Camps.

Mr. Oliver Merritt who represented this district in the Boys' Parliament at Toronto this year, briefly outlined the campaign to be launched in connection with the raising of funds to support the work being carried on. Enjoyable musical numbers were furnished by The Grimsby Young Men's Chorus under the leadership of Mr. G. L. Eaton and by Mr. Jack Ansell who contributed several vocal solos.

The meeting was concluded by the pronouncing of the benediction by Rev. Mr. Kaine.

## Lack of Customs Excise Office Here Subject of Complaint

The delays and added expense involved in clearing shipments since the closing of the customs excise office in Grimsby, is the subject of strong complaints by local and district manufacturers.

It is stated that some shipments are cleared through Hamilton port and others through St. Catharines occasioning a delay of several days in the receipt of shipments as compared with the prompt clearance given when office was in operation here.

It is understood that further protests will be made to Ottawa regarding the closing of the local customs-excise office.

His friends will be pleased to learn that the condition of Mr. Albert Dipper, who took suddenly ill on Friday night at his home, is showing improvement and they will hope to see him about and well again soon.

## - IN MEMORIAM -

JOHNSON—In loving memory of our dear mother, Elizabeth E. Johnson, who passed away March 30th, 1935. Until the daybreak and shadows see away. Sadly missed by Daughters and Son.

## AWAY BACK WHEN

By FRANK FAIRBORN, JR.

Spring has sprung... Sap's running... Kids are shootin' nits... Fussy Willows are moving on the mountainside... Buckers are up the creek... which all brings back to mind the good old days when as soon as the Old Forty broke loose and headed for the open lake, we all went appearing or wading for suckers. Remember when the and Albert Cole and "Hell-Fire" Jack Henry and the rest of the gang from over the hill used to go wading with a big net spread between two poles, and with a plentiful supply of "pneumonia preventative", in water that was ice cold and ice cakes were still floating lakeward. What a lot of fun they used to have and what a lot of fish they used to get.

As I walked up Main street the other, bright, quiet spring morning, about three in the dawn, in company with Bill Turner the "Main Street Watchdog", I could hear the musical roar of Beamer's Falls and the rushing surging water in the creek bed and it brought back many memories of the long ago. Days that I would like to live over again but never can. Oh, to be 12 years old again and know what I know now. Such is life.

You may doubt this statement, but it is a fact nevertheless—"There has never been a hanging in St. Catharines, since that metropolis became the County Town of Lincoln". Many old timers may be of the opinion that there should have been some hangings, but there never have been.

In 1866 the county town was removed to St. Catharines from Niagara-on-the-Lake and during that period of 70 years an execution has never taken place in Lincoln. This is rather a remarkable showing and it may or may not be bettered by other coun-

ties in the province. But there are very few counties which have had the public work construction within or on their borders as has Lincoln County in the 70 years period, attracting as this work generally does, a class of foreign born labor in which life is generally held cheap, as compared with Anglo-Saxon standards.

It was September 1, 1866, when the county seat was moved from Niagara to St. Catharines. Four years previous to that time, a man named Bolton had been hanged for rather an atrocious murder committed in St. Catharines. It is recalled that the murder was committed in the Hellwell Lane, night near the present Bell Telephone Exchange on King street, and the murderer chopped his wife's head off. He paid the penalty at old Niagara, at a public hanging as was the custom in those days.

While there have been no convictions registered in the County Court House on the capital charge since 1866, it is almost needless to say that murder cases have been tried, and it was public opinion at the time, that there was at least one miscarriage of justice. It is recalled an able defence of a prisoner by Matthew Crooks Cameron, who occupies a niche in the Hall of Ontario's legal fame, having been elevated to the Supreme Court bench later. The defence of Cameron was a very able one, and the culprit got off. Some years later, Mr. Cameron was asked if he remembered the last time he appeared in St. Catharines in the murder trial. The lawyer taxed his memory somewhat, and then recalled the case. "Yes," he remarked, "I remember him. The beggar should have been hanged." As a matter of fact, Mr. Cameron only con-

vinced what everybody else thought at the time, except the jury which sat on the trial.

The removal of the county seat from old Niagara also recalls to some of the old timers that there was once a possibility of the Welland Ship Canal having its outlet at Niagara instead of at Port Dalhousie. At that time Hon. W. H. Dickson was prominent in Parliament, later going to the Senate, and he owned some very fine property in Niagara, which is now owned by American citizens, and which is near the military parade grounds. The possibility of this property being expropriated for the projected canal aroused the stiff opposition of the Dickson family, and there was no demand from old Niagara to become the outlet of the new canal.

It is stated by some of the old-timers, although residents of Niagara-on-the-Lake may rightly take objection to the statements as a matter of town pride, that when Niagara people failed to support the canal project coming their way, they were told that some day grass would grow in the streets of the town. The unkindest cut of all, however, is the statement that that condition prior to the Great War actually did exist, although it is only mentioned herewith as a rumour and not as an actuality. It was merely mentioned in the course of a conversation with one of the older residents of the district a few days ago.

However, it may be stated authoritatively, that St. Catharines has never had a hanging and in the period of 70 years which have almost passed, there have been witnessed some rough times, indeed, in and around this community.







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## Local Items of Interest

Mr. A. E. Cole recently returned from an extended trip to California.

Miss Hilda Durbacher of Waterloo is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Boyer.

On Sunday evening next the Sunday School will have charge of the evening service in Trinity United Church.

Miss Dorothy Henslip of St. Ann's is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Henslip, Madison Apartments.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Marsh and family returned on Tuesday after spending several weeks in Florida.

How is your indignation? Try the Laughing Cure.

Miss Rita McCartney of Toronto, spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. S. E. McCartney, Ottawa Ave.

Mr. Charles Wooders has returned to Grimsby after spending several months in Belgium and the Continent.

Mr. and Mrs. Theron Woolverton are spending a month's holidays with the former's mother, Mrs. T. N. Woolverton, Main Street, West.

The regular bridge of Lincoln Loyalist Chapter, L.O.D.E., will be held in the Chapter House on Monday afternoon, April 6th, at 2:45 o'clock.

Have you hiccups? Try the Laughing Cure.

Mrs. Harry Marsh and on Norton, of Toronto, are spending a couple of weeks with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Norton, Ontario St.

On Monday evening next Mr. Walter McRae who was for years associated with Pauline Johnson, the Canadian Poetess, on the lecture platform, will address the members of the Young People's Society of Trinity United Church on her life and work.

The Grimsby Business Men's Association is planning a supper meeting for some time this month. The meeting will be addressed by a prominent outside speaker.

Numerous friends will regret to learn of the death of Edith L. Jones, beloved wife of Mr. Cameron Sutherland which occurred this Thursday afternoon at the Hamilton general hospital where she has been ill for the past seven weeks. She was in her 50th year. She is survived by her husband, three sons, Donald, Robert and Billy and two daughters, Mabel and Edith. The funeral will be held from the Stonehouse Funeral Home on Saturday, April 4th at 2:30 p.m. with interment in Queen's Lawn Cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Boyer and daughter Corinne of Kitchener; Mr. and Mrs. Albert Krier of Toronto and Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Oriskany of Kitchener, were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Boyer on Sunday.

The Afternoon Auxiliary of the W. M.E. of Trinity United Church held their meeting in Trinity Hall, Friday evening, when as guest speaker, those present were privileged to hear Mrs. McOble, of Hamilton, Secretary of Christian Stewardship for the Hamilton Presbytery who gave a most interesting talk on Christian Stewardship. A fair number was present despite the fact the meeting had been postponed on two previous occasions.

On Thursday last an enjoyable evening's program was provided by the Evening Auxiliary of Trinity United Church in Trinity Hall. Lantern slides taken in Africa about a year ago by Mr. Denzil Ridout were shown on the screen, the descriptions being read by Mrs. A. W. Metcalfe. In addition a splendid program was presented as follows: a selection by the Mission Band; Piano solo, Audrey Merritt; chorus by the senior C.O.T. Group; solo, Mrs. Betzner; piano duet, Katharine Metcalfe and Mrs. Harold Metcalfe.

## HORSES! HORSES!!

Bay gelding, 1250 lbs.; beautiful black gelding, 1200 lbs.; three real nice thick, well broken short legged fruit farmers horses; sorrel gelding, 1400 lbs.; bay gelding, 1200 lbs.; brown mare, 1400 lbs.; roan gelding, 1450 lbs.; several others, price \$100 to \$175; one cheap sorrel gelding, 1150 lbs. \$55.

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## NOTICE TO PARENTS

TOWN OF GRIMSBY

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MATINEE, SATURDAY, at 2:30 p.m.

Monday - Tuesday, April 6 - 7  
"LOVE ON A BET"

Gene Raymond, Wendy Barrie  
"Too Many Surprises"  
"Pathe Topics"

Wednesday - Thursday, April 8 - 9

"MAGNIFICENT OBSESSION"

Irene Dunne, Robert Taylor  
"Fox Movietone News"  
"Oscar The Rabbit"

The first show will begin at 7 o'clock owing to the length of the feature.

## CHICKS WEIGH 1½ LBS. EACH AT 6½ WEEKS

**BRAY** chicks surprise even those of us who are working with them all the time and know how good they are. On the Bray Poultry Farm at Bruden, Ont. the other day, we weighed a bunch of New Hampshire chicks, just 6 weeks and 4 days old. They AVERAGED 1 lb. 5 oz. — 1½ lbs. at less than 7 weeks! Now New Hampshire are fast-growing birds, of course. But on the same day, we weighed a bunch of White Leghorn chicks, just a week younger — 5 weeks and 4 days. They AVERAGED 1 lb. 4 oz. — 1½ lbs. at less than 6 weeks!

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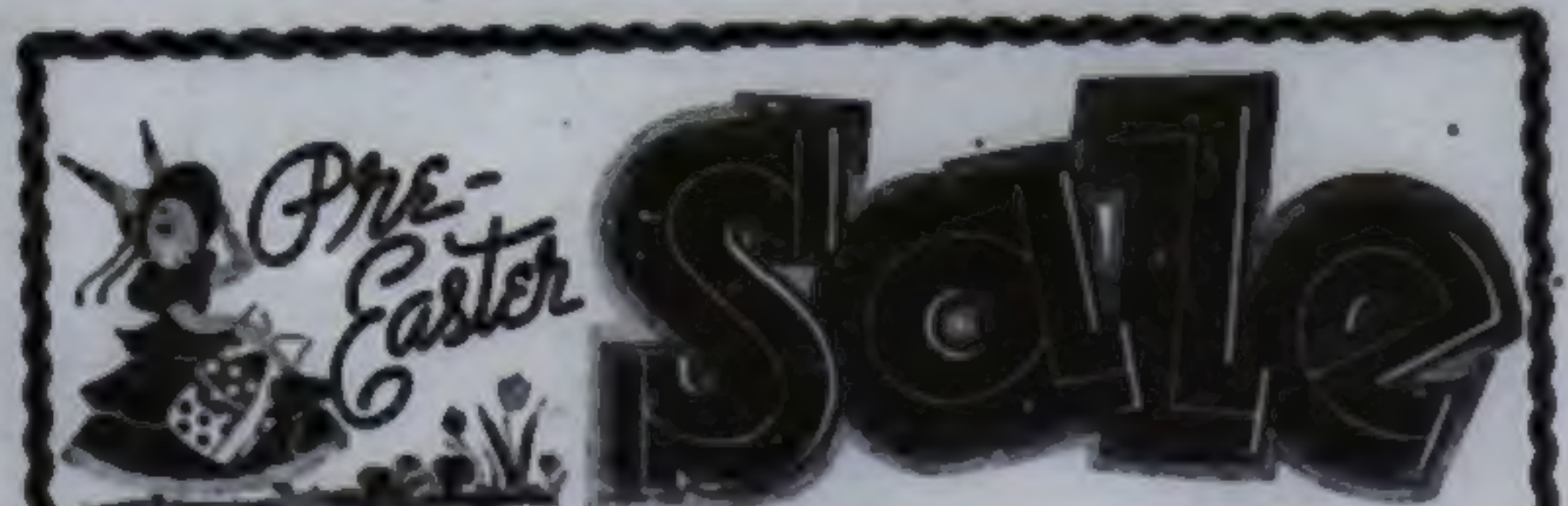
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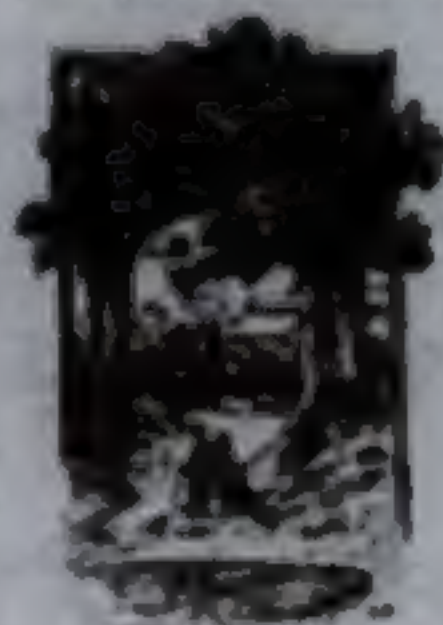
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# THE HOME PAGE

## Yesterday at GRIMSBY PARK



Historical  
Recreation  
of  
Grimsby  
Township

By Myrtle A. Bean  
PART I  
1936 - 1934

The sun had risen gloriously for Sunday, the big day; it darted its rays through the forest, casting a fairy-like green over the scene. Ben hurriedly hitched up his team to the democrat and made his way out the lane to the highway to way-lay the stage coach. The winding of the horn sounded just as he got there, and with such rattle and clang four bearded horses pulled up at the corner. Mr. Howlough from his home on the corner was also waiting with his team. The stage was filled with passengers who got out for the camp meeting, but one old man, an interested spectator.

Ben and John B. came over. "We were sure the stage would have a load on for the camp meeting. Get in and we'll drive you down. It's bad walking with so many rigs passing down the lane." They were so warmly welcomed that the man remaining in the coach decided to also get out. "I think I'll just stay over and attend one of them things now I have the chance."

Several well-filled vehicles passed them and turned down before they too joined in the procession on the way.

At the camp ground the Mortons and O'Neills were very busy. The horse-yard had been made larger and preparations in the circle increased to accommodate the expected Sunday crowd, so in the hurry no one noticed the three boys, watching their chance, disappear. With Nathan O'Neill leading, Homer and John followed as closely as they could through the tangled underbrush to the lake. Struggling along steadily they almost shouted for joy when the glorious open view of the lake burst out before them grandly.

As quickly as they could they found a place not too steep down the high bank, and almost tumbled down onto the beach, then ran out to the water. Not a person was in sight. They might have been ten miles from habitation, since the narrow strip of forest so effectively shut off the lake from the camp ground. Among all the people who had been in the circle the last few days no one thought of penetrating through to the shore of Lake Ontario that was so near.

"That's the big wharf away down there at Grimsby," said Homer Morton, pointing down the shore. "I sent a lot of wheat away on the big boats last year, and I went along down to the dock with every load. Didn't you ever see the lake before, Nathan?" He added surprised.

"No, not close up like this. My father takes our wheat to the mill."

"Oh, you should see the big boats come in with their sails up and the ropes," he began energetically initiating them hauling in the ropes. "I'm going to be a sailor. There are two boats there now on the other side."

Longingly the boys watched. "We could walk right along the beach here and soon get to it," said Nathan. "Aw, let's go in the water and

swim the waves," suggested young John Tugley. "This is like Port Dalhousie. Mother often used to take me there and sometimes father, if he'd be home."

"But it's Sunday," said Nathan. "And the big waves—I didn't know they'd get so big."

"We'll just go in for a minute," said John. "That's the fun, the big waves, they won't hurt you."

Homer laughed out, then suddenly sobered. "No, it's Sunday. If I get caught I'll get a licking."

"No will I," said Nathan. "We better not."

"I know, and so will I," admitted John. They all looked back at the swaying trees on the shore line, thick, impenetrable, "but so many people are in there. We'll soon be back."

The sun and sand and waves called them and before they knew it all three were sporting themselves in the water, racing in the waves, doing everything but yelling.

"We better get back, we've been here a long time," at last Nathan cautioned, and hurriedly putting their rough homespun clothes on their wet bodies they waded their way back as quickly as they could. They decided to separate and each let himself be seen. Homer went out first and stood conspicuously beside his mother. "Your hair is wet, son. What have you been doing?" said Mrs. Morton.

Struck dumb with surprise he just stood there, and fortunately for him before he needed to reply, someone hurriedly claimed his attention. He looked back at John and Nathan who had heard, and the three disappeared for awhile till their locks were dry.

The horseyard was fast filling up with carriages, buck-boards, double-seated democrats and buggies. Many came riding on horseback. Two on one horse, a young married couple, had come twenty miles from below Hamilton to spend the day. Horses were tethered everywhere, even a few men from remote settlements patiently rested in a chosen corner.

It was still early, but three thousand people were already there. Interest and excitement grew very great, and while some were waiting in a group near the stand, Rev. B. Rose, chairman of the district, strong and stalwart of frame, from the front of his religious zeal mounted a wagon nearby and addressed them. He was a great kindly heart and his voice could be heard a mile away if he wished it. But now it was mighty in prayer. No one could pray as he prayed but one who had much secret communion with God. It started several little groups to worship before the main service began.

At noon the Lord's supper was administered to the multitudes, and conversions again were swift and sure. Sam Crosby was there with his wife, both exceedingly happy. The infidel who had asked help of Noah Phelps the first night of the camp meeting stood up and said, "Something tells me I must acknowledge Jesus Christ. For thirty-five years I have been a blasphemer and lived in a Godless home, and the last fifteen years I have been an open infidel, but for the past few days I have been trying with all my heart for the first time in my life to give up what I know is wrong, and to commence to do what I know is right, asking God for light and help. Tonight I am forced in a way I cannot explain to stand here and say, I believe in Jesus Christ as the son of God."

For an hour and a half testimonies followed in quick succession. Among them were many more from Grimsby and the surrounding country. A young fashionable woman, in a beautiful travelling dress of many frouces, suddenly cried out in great anguish, entreating the prayers of the people. "I am tired of parties and dancing. Nothing we do is worth while." Her sister tried to stop her and got her away, but Noah Phelps, ever on the look-out, immediately followed them, bringing them back, and soon the unwakened sister was also upon her knees praying, and the two became converted.

There was great commotion when a backslider who had become a maniac in his despair, was brought into the camp held by several men. Special prayers were offered for him to restore his faculties and before the meeting closed he was filled with joy and peace as he earnestly prayed for himself. A visible glory was seen and felt of the presence of God as the crowd now swelled to over five thousand people.

At night the stars studied the heavens and all the forest seemed vocal with the echo of hymns and prayer to the accompaniment of the crackling great fires on the light stands. Everywhere excitement was at its height.

## SPRING COMES

Spring has such gracious hands! ... She brings  
The essence of all lovely things,  
New petalled gloves ... the flame of bloom.  
Warm sunlight in a quiet room,  
Small leaves unfolding every hour,  
The still, sweet opening of a flower.

Spring has such lovely hands! ... She yields  
Her warmth and beauty to the fields,  
Weaving the Earth with wind and rain,  
Clothing the hills with green again.

New buds with wet, tender feet  
New grass in pastures warm and sweet.

Spring has such willing hands! ... She weaves  
Her magic tapestry of leaves,  
Like a blanket of red above my head,  
And for my feet a carpet spread  
With wool of scarlet, warp of brown,  
Woven of moss as soft as down.

Spring is the quickening ... the birth,  
The resurrection of the earth.  
There is no death ... of anything—  
Life walks triumphant through the Spring.

Trailing her glory like a cloak  
Above the heads of common folk.  
—By Eliza Jacques.

The Philharmonic Choir of Beamsville assisted by The Community Concert Orchestra in giving its fifth annual concert in the community hall, Beamsville, this Thursday evening, under the direction of Mr. Frederick Timms.

Alison Morton was speaking when suddenly John Wakefield, without warning, sprang from his seat. Mr. Morton said in a voice aside, "Take it up and continue."

"No," said the evangelist, "not to preach," and he descended from the stand to the audience. Immediately all the preachers and exhorters went among the people uttering the impatient and comforting the distressed. A dozen little prayer circles formed, and, struck with the grandeur of the scene, Michael Fawcett mounted the stand and enthusiastically cried, "Behold the church with clouds, and every eye shall see Him."

Since it was the last night, every moment was precious as parents prayed for their children and children for their parents, brothers and sisters for one another, neighbor for neighbor, all anxious before they left the consecrated ground, they should be "sealed as the heirs of salvation."

The hours passed unheeded, but at last those not staying in tents had to break away with their torches to the crowded horseyard in the darkness, and the thousands drove off in different directions leaving the hundreds behind to repair to their tents for the last time, although every tent was crowded to its capacity with those who had to stay over for the morning stage or train.

Monday morning before breaking up camp the interesting ceremony of "leave taking" took place. Every person on the ground joined in the procession, walking two and two headed by the preachers around the circle singing hymns and marching songs.

At length the preachers all stood in front of the pulpit and shook hands with every member as they passed by. After this the procession melted away, those walking at the head falling out of rank and forming in single rank around the circle, still shaking hands in succession with those marching till every person on the ground had shaken hands with everybody else, a mutual pledge of brotherhood and Christian fellowship. Then the benediction was sung, the benediction was pronounced and the camp meeting was over.

By about noon a great change had taken place. They prepared a hasty meal, somewhat as the last meal of the Israelites before the Pharaoh, and soon the preachers and circuit riders mounted their horses and turned their faces toward their distant fields of labor. Everywhere was bustle and activity as the people, loading up their teams, finally drove away to their respective homes. Some for a time rode together but soon their ways diverged and they went on, many on solitary journeys to lonely settlements, to hardship, privation and poverty. But in scores of human hearts all through the country, the germs of a new life were planted. They had enjoyed a Feast of the Tabernacles, and their hearts were strong in the Lord as they meditated on the goodness and faithfulness of their God.

To those who lingered in the deserted camp ground strains of a familiar hymn floated to them indistinctly through the trees coming from the last of a group of converts on their way home. Gradually this also melted into silence. The camp meeting of 1936 was ended.

(To Be Continued)

## OBITUARY

Joseph Stueck

Joseph Stueck, long a resident of Beamsville East, died at St. Joseph's hospital, Hamilton, on Tuesday, March 24th. Mr. Stueck was in his 72nd year. He leaves his widow, one brother, John, and one sister, Mrs. Lambert, both of Beamsville. The funeral took place from his residence on Friday afternoon, with interment in Oak Lawn cemetery, Jordan Station. Rev. Orr Bennett, assisted by Rev. F. F. Kaufmann, conducted the service. The pallbearers were Lawrence Higgins, John Tugley, Isaac Culp, Gilbert Spasatel, Irvin Cline and Seth Reid.

Mr. G. L. Eaton last week attended a concert given in Bradford by the Glee Club of the High School of that city, the concert being given under the direction of Mr. Roy Wood, a former member of the high school staff of this town. The concert was a splendid success and was largely attended.

## The Hamilton Herald Suspends Publication

The Hamilton Herald, after forty-seven years of service to the public of Hamilton, closed its doors with the publishing of Tuesday's issue, and in its columns, under the brief heading, "Curtain," explained that steadily decreasing revenues and over-expanding issues was the cause. The management had carried on in the face of adverse circumstances, hoping that it still would be possible to rehabilitate what at one time had been a prosperous concern, the article explained. The task of trying to maintain a payroll in excess of \$100,000 a year had become hopeless with yearly losses mounting. All accounts would be paid in full without delay, and the balance of unexpired subscriptions adjusted.

## STONE CREEK OVERFLOWS

Roads on the mountain through the "swamp" near Stone Creek, were flooded to such a depth last week by the melting of the snow that many of them were impassable. Stone creek overflowed its banks, flooding over the bridge on Barton street and covering the lower lying lands of the fruitgrowers.

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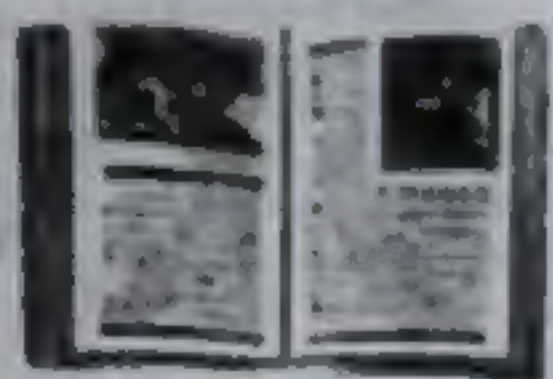
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## The Book Shelf

BY MAIR M. MORRAN

**"FREEDOM, FAREWELL!"** by Phyllis Bentley, (Macmillan's Toronto) gives one a realistic picture of Roman society. In fact, it made one feel that this is the way our history books should be written. It clears up many a hazy thought we all have carried over from school days.

It is especially interesting as a truthful picture of the downfall of liberty in a great nation. It's significance for the world today is abundantly clear.

Colorful and exciting are the chapters describing the battles, sieges, and bitter controversies in the Senate. The love stories of Caesar and Servilia, Pompey and

Julia, Brutus and Portia appear in all their complications.

From the moment the curtain rises on a slender, youthful Roman aristocrat fleeing for his life through the forested passes of the Apennines in a drenching rain storm the reader's interest is captured. Rome, Gaul, Spain and Africa are visited, each scene completely described and giving full satisfaction.

Here is another book whose binding alone recommends it for your bookshelf.

To be Reviewed Next Week: **"THE STUFF MEN ARE MADE OF"** by Denton Massey, (H. J. Reginald Saunders, Toronto).

## Everybody's Business

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them think of themselves as commodities that have never been offered to likely buyers. And let them get busy on the most important sales campaign which they'll ever have to make—selling themselves to a world that needs them.—Walter R. Phipps, author and psychologist, in the *Nation Magazine*.

## Probe London Skies



A giant finger of light searches the night sky in London as British Anti-Aircraft squadron seeks out mythical enemy planes in air defense drill. Civilians participated.

## Colorful Religious Ceremony



High ranking dignitaries of Catholic Church participated in ceremony at St. Basil's, Philadelphia by Cardinal Dougherty.

## 'It Couldn't Happen to Me!'

(By Walter J. Holmes in Today)

I don't remember just how it started. One doesn't as a rule. Doubtless there was a fearful moment when the truck rushed at me. But it came unseen. I merely remember crossing the avenue at Twenty-third street. Then blackness.

They tell me that a machine bore me down. Doubtless it did. I only know that another machine—of steel, cold, uncompromising—picked me up. It was the machine which civilization has created to take care of those who monkey with a bar-mine and get caught.

My eyes opened to a fuzzy, out-of-focus world. The blur of white smelted like a doctor. Somebody was poking me in the back.

"That hurts," I muttered.

"Yes," somebody agreed in a tired voice, and kept on poking.

I fought through a fog to reason. I determined to take my body elsewhere for hurting. But somehow I was very tired. I waited. Finally I said, "Where am I?"

"In Bellevue hospital. You were hit by a truck. Then the voice spoke to someone on the other side of the room. "He'll live."

"Okay," we'll release the driver from that homicide charge. That would be a policeman.

No in the hospital? Impossible. Besides, I had a 2 o'clock appointment. I started to get up but only managed to jerk.

"Hold still!" snapped the doctor.

Yes, I was in a hospital—and in good company. That same day 2,639 other accident victims were carried

into hospitals throughout the United States and 10 times that number received injuries requiring the services of a physician. During that 24-hour period 277 persons met with fatal accidents and 1,013 suffered permanent disability.

## A Bargain Is Not Always A Bargain

Thomas Beecher, famous American preacher, was out walking on a hot July day, and found a boy selling lemonade. He drank a glass and asked the price. It was three cents and he paid him. Farther down the hill, he came across another boy selling lemonade, and took another glass. When he handed this boy three cents, he protested the price was five. "How do you expect to compete with your rival up the hill, who is selling his for three cents," inquired Beecher. "Oh, but a puppy fell into his!" retorted the boy. Taking this episode as his spring-board, Beecher preached the next evening on: "Beware of the bargains of life." In almost every case when you find what appears to be a bargain, you will find (a puppy) has fallen into it.

## Be Up and Doing

Waste not time in life pining.

In life's live, be thou no drone;

From the slumber take thou warning

Or his fate may prove thine own.

Opportunities once wasted

May not come to thee again;

And a lifetime spent bewailing

Fill the measure of thy pain.

Life is short, be up and doing.

Show the seeds of thrift and care;

Watchful be, also cloth, pursuing.

Steal from thee thy harvest fair.

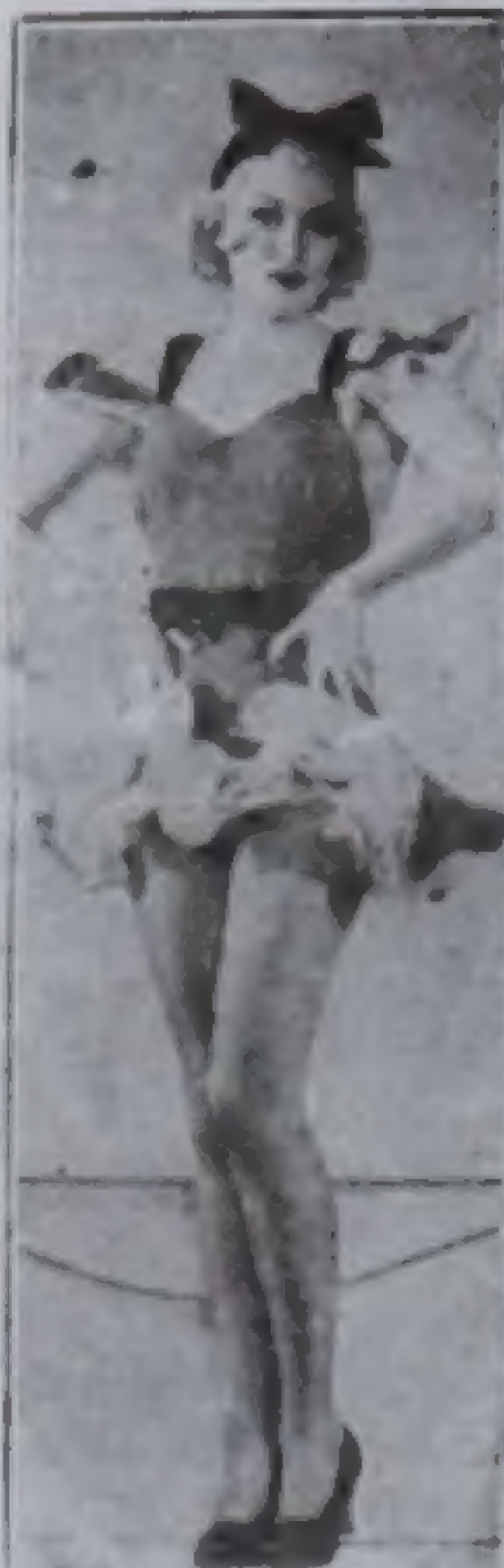
Hide not in the earth thy talent.

Add to it day by day;

Count the fatal hour that cometh.

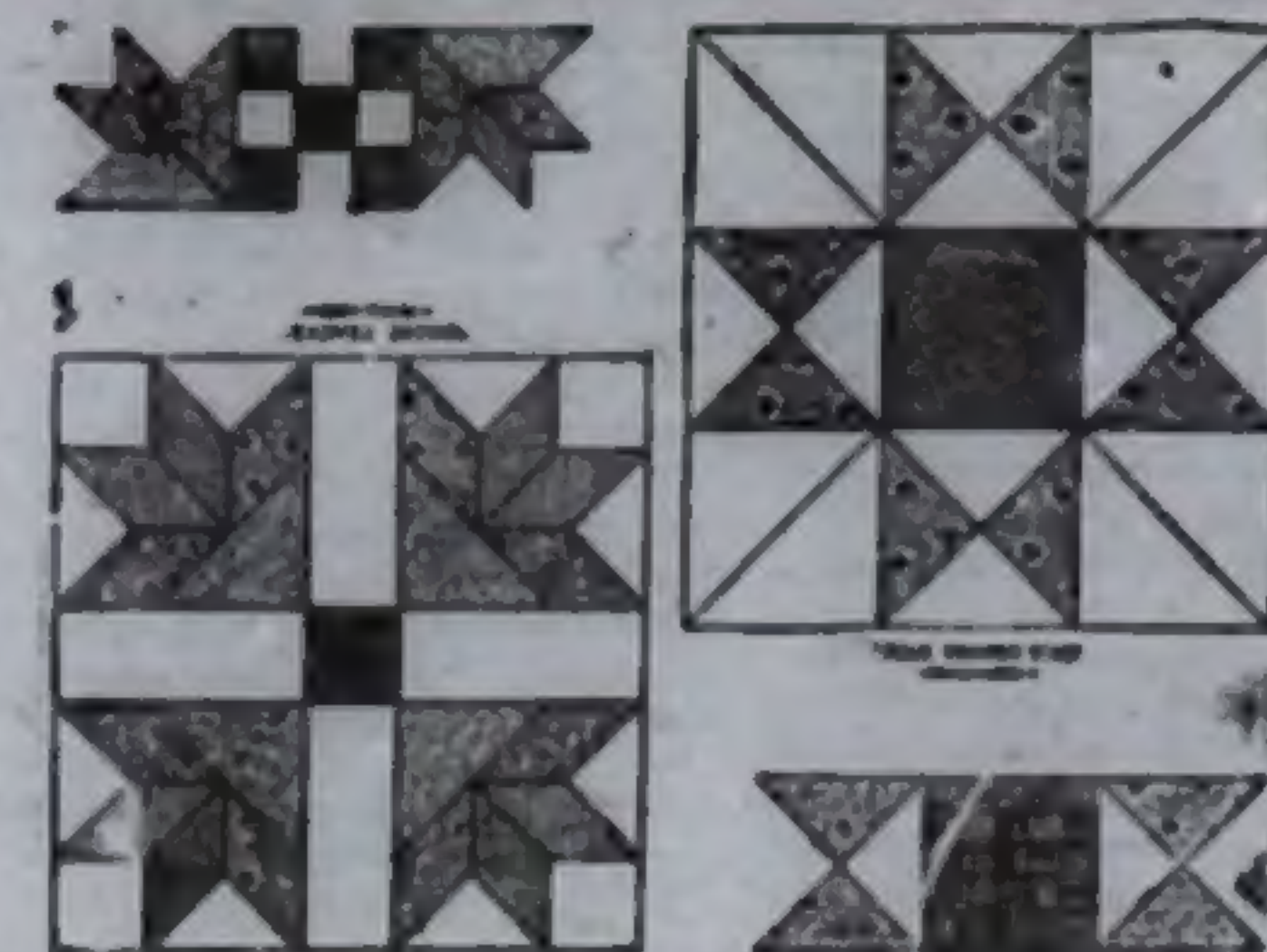
When the reckoning thou must pay.

## Dancing Debut



The shapely limbs of lovely Claude Trevor, screen star, will lend enchantment to her forthcoming vehicle "The Song and Dance Man," in which she makes her initial appearance as a dancer in the film version of George M. Cohan's play.

## Quaint Quilt Patterns in Wonder Package



Two more attractive quilt patterns are shown from the Wonder Package. This marvelous package contains eight quilt patterns in all; four for each piece work and four for patch work or applique.

These are the patterns that use up all those scraps and pieces in the mending bag, for if you do not wish to make all blocks alike, each may have an individual scheme, and fortunately in each "Quilt Trunk" block there are four different kinds of print, while in the "Four pointed star" there are just two. Either of these patterns are very economical to make, fascinating to work on and especially effective in appearance.

## Plain Directions

There are borders for each design suggested and with the plain instructions there should be no trouble at all in creating a beautiful quilt which could be used for a bed-spread.

If you have an Early American room, you could look far before you would find a more attractive spread and by making the draperies and table skirt of a small patterned print you will have a most charming scheme. The Wonder Package contains

## Started Something

The Dean of Christ Church Cathedral Ottawa said in a sermon the other day that women should not be allowed to sing solos in church.

Any person who has had more or less experience in church choirs, will agree with us, when we say that the Ottawa Dean must either be very innocent or very condescending. There will be many also who do not agree with him. They will say so. There will be others who do agree with him. They won't say a word—if they are discreet.

The Dean believes that solos should be sung in church only at infrequent intervals, and then only by men and boys. He contended that voices of men and boys blend better than the combination of men and women.

Apparently the Dean is trying to promote harmony in church choirs. He may get it, as far as the singing is concerned, but unless he qualified his remarks to a much greater extent than the newspapers reported, he's going to get a lot of discord as well. When those sopranos forsake the "other 'C's" for their high notes, the accompaniment will call for the "great organ"—and then some! They are apt to revive that old controversy about women being allowed to occupy the pulpit as a sort of reprisal.

For years church choirs have been regarded in many quarters as a good "training ground" for young vocalists. Some of the greatest singers of the world got their start in a church choir. Their vocal efforts in leading the congregational singing have been regarded with appreciation and great many of their solos have been truly inspiring. But probably the Ottawa soloists are becoming careless in the execution of their art. And also, maybe the Dean knows good singing when he hears it.

If this controversy continues some one is sure to ask the question "Why have church choirs anyway?" and the reply may come back "Why have any Deans?" And by that time only the harvest of the brave will venture into the argument. In fact it looks like a good thing in step out right now. After all it's an Ottawa light—but it will be interesting to learn how it comes out. — *Chatham News*.

## Turmoil of Politics



Turmoil of politics in Spain has its feminine touch as Julia Alvarez, socialist deputy addresses gigantic mass meeting in Bull Ring in Madrid, and ex-spectator of "The Popular Front."

## Representatives of Britain and Egypt Smile



Meeting in Zafaren Palace, Cairo, Egypt, to open negotiations aimed at settling differences between Britain and Egypt. Sir Miles Lampson, British High Commissioner, left, Nahas Pasha, centre, and Admiral Sir William Fisher, commander-in-chief of the British Fleet in the Mediterranean, right. Apparently were in the best of spirits.

## High Competence Demanded in Italy

Fewer Canadians would own and drive automobiles if they had to meet the requirements as to competence and financial responsibility prevailing in Italy. For, as the National Safety Council points out, "Owning and driving a car in Italy is no cinch."

In the first place, Italian automobile owners pay some \$400 in taxes, and gasoline costs twenty cents a quart—not a gallon.

Then there are about a dozen legal hurdles to be jumped by prospective drivers. We are interested chiefly in the safety requirements. Among them are these:

1. The car must pass official inspection and government safety tests.
2. The driver must obtain a certificate of good conduct.
3. The driver must obtain a certificate, stating he can read and write.
4. He must prove that he is in good health, not subject to fits, dizzy spells or fainting, and does not feel red spots before his eyes at critical moments. This requires a medical examination.
5. He must appear before an examination board and pass a practical test on the road. This includes blind-man's bluff, turning his back while the examining officer tinkers with the car and removes or changes some gadget. Then all the candidate has to do is to find out what he did and put the car back in working order.
6. Into the office the driver goes now and is given an oral examination on traffic regulations. He must also answer questions about the automobile motor.
7. And finally, one last certificate—a document from the police stating that the driver has no criminal record.

The driver pays for most of the tests and certificates himself. If he passes them with flying colors, he can drive the car—that is provided he can still pay for gas at eighty cents a gallon. Two Bells.

## Lighted Windows

Acc. to the darkness of the night  
Are gleaming lights to cheer the way.  
Like beacons they are beaming  
To guide the wandering feet that stray.  
They fill the drooping heart with hope  
These lights that beckon from afar—  
And vagrants that in darkness grope  
Turn to them as a guiding star.  
And lonely hearts that dwell apart  
Watch for their gleam to pierce the night.  
On beds of pain the sick at heart  
In their bright rays find sweet respite.  
What though the autumn winds blow,  
And leaves are drifted out of sight.  
When through the network of the trees  
We glimpse our neighbor's gleaming light.



## The Indispensability Of Work Done By Women Seen

Picture of Dire Consequences Drawn If Feminine Workers of U. S. Should All "Take Rest"

WASHINGTON. — A picture of the dire consequences which would follow if all the 10,000,000 working women in the country should stay at home next Monday to prove their value to professional, business and industrial activity was presented to the nation at the opening of the observance of "National Business Women's Week."

The idea was advanced in an address by Miss Cheryl Ormond Williams, president of the National Federation of Business and Professional Women's Clubs, which sponsors the observance. Taking up the old argument, which has raged most virulently during the depression, as to the right of women to engage in gainful occupations outside of their homes when there are so many men out of employment, she said:

"That argument is a tragic waste of human energy, so I now propose that we settle it for all time, by the simple method of providing to all men who now doubt that women are indispensable in business, industry and the professions."

"Suppose that the women of the United States should all stay home next Monday for a sort of feminine day of rest; I would not dream, of course, of suggesting that women go on strike. What would happen? The possibilities opened up are so upsetting that I think we should all consider for just a moment how to avoid them."

### Would Silence Telephones

"The telephone exchange in every town would be obliged to close. Nearly half a million women are employed by one national telephone company alone."

"One million, eight hundred thousand women are engaged in the manufacturing business."

"Nearly 2,000,000 are employed in domestic or personal service."

"Many men would have difficulty in securing a comfortable breakfast if they were to take a morning household. The majority of restaurants would have a difficult time serving their patrons without the help of waitresses. Many women operate elevators, others 'man' the stores and shops. Why the struggles of a man executive without his faithful secretary. The banks and stock exchanges would find it hard work to 'carry on' without women. In 5,969 communities in this country where there are women postmistresses the mail service would suffer. Fancy the plight of airplane passengers without the comforting ministrations of the stewardesses."

"The public schools would be forced to close for lack of teachers. And so the picture grows as we imagine what a terrible social and economic upheaval would come about by the complete withdrawal of women from the workaday world."

## "Disgusting Will"

Writes the Toronto Telegram: —

Had the will of the late Charles Vance Miller left the bulk of his estate to the Toronto mother with the largest number of children, at the time of his death, there could have been no objection from anybody but relatives who might then be deprived of a substantial legacy. Instead, he provided that this clause of the will should not take effect till ten years after his death. The result has been a maternity race which has led Mr. C. E. Sifton to speak of it as an "utterly disgusting will."

While Mr. Sifton's remark comes rather late in the day, he is the first to publicly declare what many people have felt. Though large families are admirable where the parents are in a position to take care of their children and to give them the start in life which they should have, competitive family building is indefensible, especially where the parents are on relief and where each additional child is a new burden on charity.

### Rural Damage by Fire

Property damage by fires in rural districts is caused by defective stoves, lightning, spontaneous combustion in hay and grain and unsafe methods of lighting, amounts to \$210,000,000 in the United States annually. Except in rare cases, such as an oil explosion, where smothering methods are best, pressure water streams are the only effective protection against fire. A recent survey brought out the fact that over 5½ million farmhouses in the country are without running water.

## Any Time is Tea Time "SALADA" TEA

THE REMARKABLE ROMANCE OF AN INDUSTRIAL DICTATOR

## Velvet and Steel

By PEARL BELLAIRS

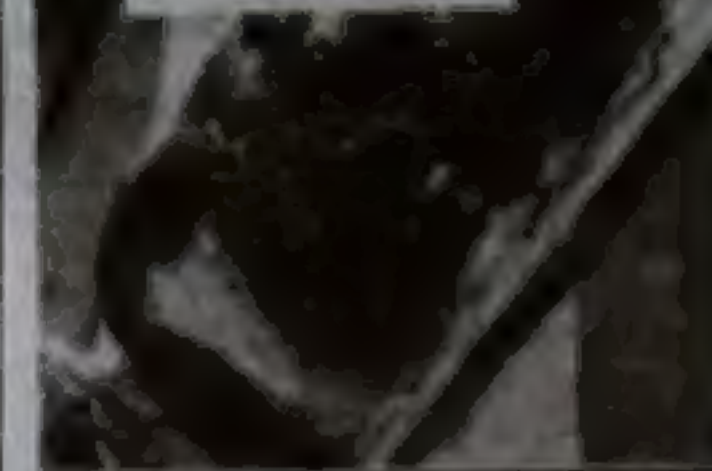
John Denby of humble origin, is introduced as a social equal of Miss Georgina La Fontaine, rather than as her secretary. She meets Pierre Hansen, millionaire, who forces his attention on her. Lord Edwards proposes to Jean, Jean leaves Miss La Fontaine to become a mistress of the Salon Celeste. Pier Hansen takes Jean and her family for a cruise aboard his yacht. Jean is horrified when confronted by Hansen with a blackmail letter from her father. He proposes that she marry him.

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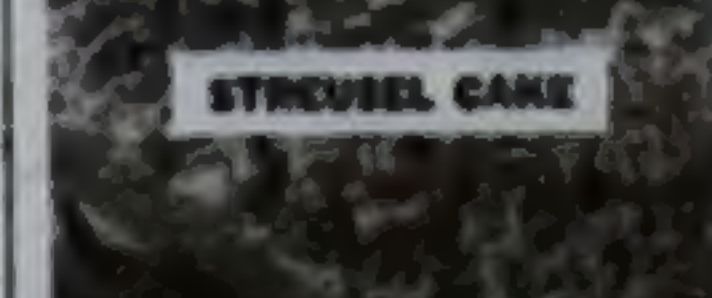
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So she went down to the car, where the chauffeur was waiting for her. She kissed her mother very tenderly, telling her to let the factory know that Denby had been called away to see a sick relative and might be gone indefinitely. Mrs. Denby and Jean clung to one another, and then Jean tore herself away and ran into the car behind the chauffeur.

They drove away, out of familiar Poplar, and along the well-known Commercial Road. How strange she felt, a bride going to such a wedding as this! Even her costume was not new as a bride's should be, but was one that she had worn before, though she had only recently made it, in imitation of a much-admired model which had been created at the Salon Celeste. No one indeed could have told that the Salon had not made the one she wore, and she knew that she looked well in it. She thought, with a smile, that it would have served Pier Hansen right if she had turned up at the church looking a perfect fright!

Even now she wondered whether he would really go on with it, forcing her as he imagined himself to be. He was, in a way, forcing her still, for had she not been afraid of losing him, nothing would have made her marry him to-day. She was frightened—she needed time, time in which to get used to him, even though she loved him. She reflected—the only time he had ever kissed her—that dreadful occasion after his fight with Al Brooks.

When the car arrived at the church she almost seized her final chance and fled. But as the car drew up she saw a crowd on the pavement, and a dozen different press cameras ranged along the pavement. Of course, when Pier Hansen got married everyone had to know. It was an event in the social world.

The chauffeur, grinning faintly and respectfully, opened the door of the car for her; and—

(To Be Continued).

### Rural Ontario is Called Sound

(St. Thomas Times-Journal)

Rural Ontario, "with all its difficulties and the criticism levelled against it," is sound municipally and financially," H. L. Cummings, Deputy Minister of Municipal Affairs, declared before the annual convention of the Ontario Association of Rural Municipalities.

"I have no fear of Rural Ontario becoming a problem," he added. Actual debt of the rural areas, he declared, was \$5,400,000 and was being paid off faster than new debt could accumulate.

Mr. Cummings called, however, for better systems of auditing and accounting in the rural districts. Because of inadequate methods, he declared, "it has been possible to get away with murder." He criticized the failure of many auditors to check tax rolls.

The colossal latitudes carved on the side of Mt. Rushmore, of the U. S. Presidents, are said to dwarf the eternal Sphinx of Egypt. The nose alone, of the Washington head, is said to be two feet longer than the entire head of the famous sphinx.

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## Should Be Told How to Learn

(Ottawa Journal)

It is fashionable to scoff at speech, this though most of us are gluttons for them. There might be less scoffing, or pretence at it, if all speeches were as fine as that delivered recently to the Ottawa Canadian Club by Dr. Hamilton Fyfe.

Dealing with education, Dr. Fyfe didn't tell how many millions were spending on it, or how many fine school buildings we have, or how many thousands of pupils, or how many thousands of parents, or how many thousands of what education should be.

It should be, he said, that that students should be taught "how to learn."

"What you want is not a number of facts you will forget; but the capacity for finding out things for yourself. You have to learn how to learn."

Nothing truer about education has ever been said. And with this truth there could be instilled into young people the further truth that education is a continuing process, that it is not something which ceases with graduation from some university, but must be persevered with and developed throughout the whole of life, then as a people we would be better educated.

John Richard Green, the great historian, died when a comparatively young man. He had had a university education, and was a great scholar, but he never lost his curiosity about life and its meaning, and over his grave they carved this epitaph: "He died learning." If more of us could deserve a similar epitaph, this world would be infinitely better.

## Post Office Nibs

(St. Thomas Times-Journal)

Postoffice pen nibs have long been a joke, particularly as to their poor quality, but the British post office appears to have solved the problem both as to durability, and "unstealability." A new nib first tried out in 1925, has been found most successful, and the government has just ordered 1,500,000 of them for the offices throughout the United Kingdom. The British post office probably has more branches than any country in the world. The public seldom has to go far to find a post office, where every facility is provided, whether for ordinary mailing purposes, sending telegrams, buying money orders or banking, many thousands of grocery stores operating an office as a side line on a commission basis.

The new nib is of stainless steel, and after being withdrawn owing to promiscuous thefts, has been returned, fastened to the holder with a special locking device, only with pliers can it be removed.

Statistics on the life span of the new pen kept by the post office during an experimental period of use reveal a variation according to district. In Edinburgh the Scots expressed a great deal of satisfaction over the new model, and on the average took it away for use elsewhere after two weeks' service in the post office.

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## PROBLEMS OF EVERY DAY LIFE

By Dr. M. M. Lappin

### Engaged, But Afraid to Marry

The problems of Every Day Living are varied and innumerable. Some folks have big problems which they treat lightly, others are apt to magnify trifles, but we all have our problems.

This week I am going to try and answer a big problem. It has come to me from a young lady whom I think is very sensible indeed. She writes to me in part:

"I have been keeping company with ——— for over three years. We are very fond of each other, and I am sure we are suited to each other and could be extremely happy together. A month ago we became engaged. He has often spoken of marriage before, but I always hesitated. At last I've promised to marry him and now I think I have made a mistake. Frankly, I am afraid of marriage because, for the past five years, my mother has been in a mental hospital and I sometimes have the thought that her trouble may be hereditary. Of course he knows all about it and he says it does not matter, but that fact does not seem to ease my mind."

My correspondent is to be admired for her wise forethought. She certainly reveals a highly developed type of social consciousness. But it may be she is worrying herself unduly. After all, not every inmate of a mental hospital is suffering from hereditary insanity. There are a great many cases in which the patient has become mentally unbalanced simply as the inevitable consequence of undue strain and worry. The past quarter of a century has been a very trying one, and many folks have simply been unable to bear the strain. It is true that there are many in our mental institutions who might not have been there if the proper help had been secured in time. But that does not alter the fact that they are there, and that

their condition makes it necessary for them to be there, although they may not be suffering from a form of insanity which is hereditary.

This young lady should find out for herself just exactly the nature of her mother's trouble. She should have no difficulty in doing this. A talk with the family physician would surely bring her an interview with the superintendent doctor of the institution in which her mother is confined. These doctors could tell from the case history whether her mother's affliction is hereditary or not. If it is not hereditary, then her mind will be at ease.

I think, were I in this young lady's position, I would pursue this line of action right away. Why go on worrying and fretting before you are sure there is anything to worry about? The chances are there is nothing to worry about. Even if you should discover that the trouble is hereditary, well, even then, that does not mean that you are going to go the same way. I think it is now generally accepted that we only inherit tendencies, and there are many cases on record which prove that these inherited tendencies can be overcome. If you take care of yourself and look after your health, if you keep a cheery, optimistic outlook and avoid worry and fear, I am quite sure that everything will be all right.

Besides, the young man to whom you are engaged knows all about it. You are not hiding anything from him so, if you discover that the trouble is hereditary and there are signs that you might become afflicted, you could agree to marry, and if both of you are very fond of children you might adopt a child. The one thing you should avoid is anxious worry and fear.

NOTE: The writer of this column is a trained psychologist and an author of several works. He is willing to deal with your problem and give you the benefit of his wide experience. Questions regarding problems of EVERYDAY LIVING should be addressed to: Dr. M. M. Lappin, room 421, 73 Adelaide Street West, Toronto, Ontario. Enclose 2 cent stamped, addressed envelope for reply.

## Sleeping on the Ice

Nora Scott has at present a visitor from Northumberland, England, who has quietly come among us to prosecute his studies of the birds. Mr. Noble Rollin created no little interest by sleeping out one night on the ice in zero weather with nothing about him but his overcoat and one blanket. Had it been an Arctic sleeping bag, we would think nothing of it, but if it was but an ordinary blanket it is something from which we would like to be excused.

But there is this to be said, that the visitor from England, turned to outdoor life, can very likely stand far more cold with less discomfort than any resident. It is a common thing for the English visitor coming to this province to wear no overcoat for the first winter and sometimes for two or three winters, and there is a perfectly good reason behind it—it rests in the action of the English climate on his blood.

Possibly an example from a different source might make it clear. An English battalion, resident in India for four years was transferred to the interior of Siberia during the war. It would have been thought that they would have suffered terribly from the cold which now and again dipped many degrees below zero. On the contrary they minded it far less than the Canadians, and in zero weather often paraded without even their great-coats to the astonishment of the Russians who were lost in sheepskins up to the top of their ears. It takes two or three years in the cold climate before that resistance or whatever it is, leaves the blood—Halifax Chronicle.

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The Week's News of  
The Surrounding District

## BEAMSVILLE

The March meeting of the Women's  
Institute was held Thursday, with  
the president in the chair, Mrs. Clayton  
Thompson gave a report of the Lin-  
coln W.I. executive held at the home  
of Mrs. Saunders. Mrs. Tooley gave  
her report on the provincial con-  
vention held in Hamilton. A paper was  
given by Mrs. William Southward on  
Helpful Hints for the Sick Room.  
Miss B. Groh gave an interesting  
talk on the nutritive value of milk.  
Mrs. Bolton was the tea convener.

Throughout the district traffic con-  
ditions are again becoming normal.  
The main highways have been entire-  
ly cleared of snow and the side roads  
are fairly passable, although some  
flooding here and there was reported.  
Provincial and county road gangs are  
being commended on their efficient  
work during the past two weeks.

Richard Glover, trapper and natu-  
ralist, states that on account of the  
high water in all the creeks and riv-  
ers muskrats' homes were being flood-  
ed and the little animals just had to  
get out. He said it was no uncommon  
sight, to see the muskrats coming  
down the Chippewa creek on cabs of  
floating ice.

At the monthly literary of the  
Lena Davis chapter, I.O.G.E., Friday  
afternoon a fine Irish program was  
presented. Mrs. G. Cooke gave the  
current events outline, C. M. Carthage  
and Mrs. R. Hatter and Mrs. Van  
Dyke contributed songs. Mrs. A. Al-  
lison, the regent, gave an interesting  
talk on Ireland and the Irish. Mrs. W.  
D. Fairbrother presided. Mrs. William  
Andrews was the tea hostess.

The first social evening of the  
township Junior Farmers' association  
and Junior Girls was held on Thurs-  
day night at the home of Lloyd House.  
Ray McCullum of Smithville addressed  
the gathering and Arnold Hodgkins  
of Campbell featured the program  
with some songs. There was a large  
turnout of the juniors.

The Bentley trophy, emblematic of  
the Niagara District Badminton title,  
held by the Beamsville club, will pass  
into the hands of the Port Colborne  
club for 1936. The badminton season  
came to an end Tuesday.

## WINONA

Winona hall was well filled with  
many flower lovers at the open night  
of the Horticultural society Thursday,  
when a large representation from  
Fonthill, Hamilton and Vinemount  
were present, the Hamilton society  
providing the entire program, with  
Dick, the Amateur Gardener, as chair-  
man. Sergeant W. G. McNair gave a  
most instructive illustrated address on  
Wild Flowers and Natural Rock Gar-  
dens. Fitting remarks were made by  
the district director, P. W. Warren, al-  
so by Rev. Mr. Randall, of Fonthill.  
The remainder of the evening was  
spent in culture and dancing.

The W.I. held their March meeting  
at the home of Mrs. Harry Cox on  
Thursday afternoon with an attend-  
ance of 46. The program was under  
the direction of Miss Jean Carpenter  
and Mrs. Arthur Biggar, home  
economics and education convener.  
Miss Margaret Nelson, leader of the  
recent community cooking school,  
gave a splendid report of the work  
taken in the classes. Mrs. A. L. Flet-  
cher, president of the class, presented  
Miss Nelson with a handsome leather  
handbag as a token of appreciation of  
her work. Mrs. E. Wiltmer gave a  
summary of the course. The Refinish-  
ing of Furniture, to be taken in the  
institute. Instruction papers on menu  
planning, household hints, electrical  
helps, pet economics, uses of honey,  
and table setting were given by Miss  
Jean Carpenter, Mrs. E. Walters, Mrs.  
D. Hall, Mrs. M. Cudney, Mrs. N.  
Whitwell, Mrs. Dwyer, Mrs. E. Car-  
penter, Mrs. G. McPhail, Mrs. W.  
Carpenter, Mrs. W. Griffin and Mrs.  
J. Budge. Demonstrations on the mak-  
ing of orange peel, orange flavouring  
and sandwich fillings were demon-  
strated by Miss Carpenter. A paper pre-  
pared by Mrs. Arthur Biggar on The Val-  
lacy of Conquest was read by Mrs. E.  
Wiltmer.

Rev. Mr. Nosen, Hamilton, had  
charge of both morning and evening  
services in St. John's church, in the  
absence of Rev. T. N. Low, who is ill  
in the Hamilton Hospital. There was  
a corporate communion at the even-  
ing service for members of the A.Y.P.  
A.

The Young People's union of Fifty  
church held a special meeting at 7:15  
o'clock Sunday evening. Music  
was provided by a group of young  
men from Trinity church, Grimsby  
under the direction of Gordon Eaton.

## THIRTY MOUNTAIN

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. McGill of St.  
Catharines, spent Sunday with Mr.  
and Mrs. Wm. Carson.

Rev. H. R. Kunkle, Mission of Lep-  
era, gave a very interesting illustrat-  
ed lecture at The Thirty Church Sun-  
day.

Congratulations are extended to  
Dorothy and Clarence Richardson,  
who were winners in a Temperance  
Contest put on by the W. C. T. U.

Mrs. Robert Murat spent Thursday  
in Kitchener, visiting Mr. and Mrs.  
Kathleen.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Carter of Dills,  
spent Sunday with Mrs. Horn and  
Arthur.

Her friends will be pleased to learn  
that Mrs. C. Miller is improving and  
will wish her a speedy recovery.

Carmon Kunkle spent Sunday in St.  
Catharines.

Mr. and Mrs. Finfield spent Sunday  
with Mrs. M. Sweet.

Mr. J. Sobey, Lorne Stewart, Lloyd  
Hurst and Carmon Kunkle accompa-  
nied Ashley Elliott to the hockey match  
between New York Americans and the  
Toronto Maple Leafs Saturday  
night.

Miss Ethel Howell of Winona visit-  
ed her mother, Mrs. F. Howell, who  
has been spending the past two weeks  
with her aunt, Mrs. M. Sweet.

The Home and School Club had a  
very successful meeting on Friday  
night. The next meeting is to be held  
April 9th, weather permitting. Ladies  
bring refreshments. Everybody wel-  
come.

The Ladies Aid met at the home of  
Mrs. Gordon Phillips on Wednesday  
after three postponements on account  
of roads and whooping cough.

## FRUITLAND

About fifty ladies attended a very  
successful tea at the home of Mrs. R.  
Blackwood, under the auspices of the  
Ladies Aid of Fruitland United  
church. Mrs. A. E. Walker, of Bar-  
tonville, the guest speaker, gave an  
interesting and descriptive talk on the  
International Peace Garden. Others  
taking part in the program were Mrs.  
H. D. Glover, Mrs. N. Whitlow and  
Mrs. W. Weaver. Mrs. W. Greenwood  
and Mrs. H. Perry, of Winona, were  
the winners of the guessing contest.  
During the tea hour Mrs. G. DeWitt  
and Mrs. L. Glover poured.

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and asked him to give an explanation  
of the matter.

The reeve related the circumstances  
of the case stating that every effort  
had been made by himself to avoid it  
being taken to court. He acknowl-  
edged that he had neglected to read fully  
what he was signing, it constituting a  
fraud according to the law now in ef-  
fect. There had been no intention of  
any wrong doing on his part, he said,  
the whole affair being a mistake.  
Funds had been wired immediately to  
Toronto but they were refused, the  
cheque in question being exhibited to  
the council by the reeve.

After hearing the reeve the council  
decided to discuss the matter in com-  
mittee of the whole, the reeve retir-  
ing. After an absence of about half  
an hour the council again resumed in  
open session when the following res-  
olution was unanimously passed:

Moved by Councillor Wilkins, se-  
conded by Councillor Lethin:

"That this council, in view of the re-  
cent court action brought against  
Reeve Moss in the city of Toronto,  
are of the opinion that he should ten-  
der his resignation."

Presentation Is  
Made To Head of  
Vineland Co-operative

A. H. Culp president of the Vin-  
eland Growers Co-operative, since the  
organization of the company in 1914  
was on Thursday honored by the  
members of the executive in the pre-  
sentation of a handsome gold watch,  
suitably engraved.

The Vineland Growers Co-operative  
Limited have enjoyed a steady and  
successful growth, much of which is  
attributed to the marked ability of the  
president, and the presentation was a  
small token of the appreciation of the  
services of Mr. Culp by the members  
of the executive of the Company.

This event, which took place in the  
office of the company at Vineland, al-  
so witnessed the presentation of a  
check of silver to Mrs. Culp.

M. E. Toms has purchased a hun-  
dred-acre farm on the Mountain above  
Beamsville.

J. W. Howland was reappointed  
treasurer of Fruitland United church  
at a recent meeting of the board of  
stewards.

SPORTGRAPHICALLY  
— SPEAKING —

(By "Bones")

Another Grimsby boy has crashed  
the sports page headlines. This time  
it is Hilton Swayne, better known in  
Fruit Belt society circles as "Hawk-  
eye", and as a result of that crash the  
"Dead Shot Dick" of the Kirkland  
Lake Tekman hockey team is flashing  
about town in a brand new \$100 tailor  
made suit of clothes.

In a voting contest held by the  
Northern News of the Gold Town, the  
fans picked "Hawkeye" as the most  
popular and most valuable man to his  
team from 44 different players on four  
different teams. The chunky little lad  
was picked as right winger of the all-  
star team, picked from the four teams  
and in doing so scored the highest ag-  
gregate points. His total was 65  
points which was 30 points above his  
nearest competitor for the same pos-  
ition, and several points higher than  
any scored by any other player in  
any position even including the goal-  
tenders.

The five judges in their summary of  
placement commented as follows:

"It really narrowed down to a  
choice between Swayne and Chuck  
Thoms. Both these men were cap-  
tains of their teams, good, material  
leaders. Both of them were high scor-  
ers, Swayne being fourth and Thoms  
fifth on the season. They were defen-  
sive bulwarks, as evidenced by the  
way the Hargreaves team sometimes  
lost when Thoms was in the penalty  
box, while on Swayne's side it was re-  
ported that every time his team was

short-handed he was the man they  
shoved over the boards. The courage  
of the two is unquestioned. Thoms  
gets a lot of bone from the fans for  
what some call rough play but no  
person ever questioned his heart. He  
takes on all of them and is harder on  
himself, taking chances for his team.

The committee took into consideration  
in the question of Swayne's gameness  
that he played all through that final  
series with a couple of cracked ribs  
and, though he is a small man, muck-  
ed right in on a rugged defence. When  
it came to the final analysis we made  
the award to Swayne on the penalty  
record. His record is remarkably  
clear of enforced rests while the sea-  
son mark for Thoms is not as good,  
although it must be remembered that  
he was playing defence, a place where  
the chance for penalties is greater  
than up front. We considered, in go-  
ing over Swayne's record, that he had  
a habit in the season past of deliver-  
ing under fire, that many of his goals  
were scored when they counted most  
in the important games. Personal feel-  
ing did not enter into the selection. It  
was a straight award for merit as we  
saw it. There will likely be some  
criticism, as there always is in the  
event, but the records are the base of  
the decision and we are ready to stand  
by it."

The sporting editor of The Northern  
News also notes the fact that "Hawk-  
eye" is by far the fastest thing on  
skates playing hockey in the North  
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Date Set For The  
Reduction of Prices  
Of Wine Postponed

At the annual meeting of the Winona  
local of the Grape Growers Assn., held  
Friday evening in the Winona Hall, J.  
J. Smith announced that he received  
a long-distance telephone call from  
Mr. Avery, M.L.A. for Lincoln county  
on Friday and speaking from the  
office of Premier Hepburn, with whom  
he was then in conference, he made  
the following statement: "That the  
date set for the reduction of prices of  
native wine would be postponed indef-  
initely and that a full investigation of  
the whole matter would take place im-  
mediately." Mr. Smith reconfirmed  
this statement of the Premier by  
phone late Friday afternoon.

The following resolution carried:  
"We, the Winona local of the Grape  
Growers' association, go on record to  
stand 100 per cent. behind the motion  
of the grape growers' executive at its  
annual meeting, "that we strongly  
condemn the unwarranted interfer-  
ence of certain wineries into the af-  
fairs of the grape growers by sponsor-  
ing a disgruntled group of growers in  
their attempt to form an association  
to be known as the Niagara Wine  
Growers' association. This is but an-  
other attempt to destroy the Grape  
Growers' association, founded in 1919,  
and from that time recognized as the  
official mouthpiece of the grape grow-  
ers of the Niagara peninsula."

The following officers of the Wi-  
nona local were re-elected: President,  
J. J. Smith; secretary-treasurer,  
Howard Smith; auditors, A. Biggar  
and A. Walters.

## A. Y. P. A. NEWS

The regular weekly meeting of St.  
Andrew's A.Y.P.A., held Monday  
night in the Parish Hall, took the  
form of an Athletic night.

The meeting was in charge of group  
No. 2. Midge Croft presided in the  
absence of Dave Biggar. Refresh-  
ments were served.

Following the program practice for  
the "Laughing Cure", the play to be  
presented April 29th and 30th, was  
held. Casting is now complete and  
the play is progressing rapidly.

MORE ROCK FALLS  
INTO NIAGARA GORGE

Weakened by heavy snows, more  
than two tons of rock fell from the  
edge of the Maid of the Mist landing  
on the Niagara river bank into the  
gorge during the night, officials of  
the Queen Victoria Park Commission  
revealed on Saturday.

Fearing further slides, the officials  
closed the walk along the Maid of the  
Mist landing—one of the favorite  
spots for tourists to view the Niagara  
falls.

Officials said that further slides  
might undermine the old walk and  
make it necessary to build a new  
one.

There is no danger that the slides  
will change the contour of the Cana-  
dian falls, however.

Mr. Smith who acted as chairman,  
gave a full report of the activities of  
the organization.

H. Glover, president of the Ontario  
agricultural council, which is com-  
posed of one representative from each  
county council in Ontario and which  
deals with all problems in relation to  
agriculture, spoke at some length, giv-  
ing his experience in regard to grape  
production costs.